



Risky Business

An honest look at assessing risk

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In Brief (Who is this for?)

- 1. Applicability
 - a. State Agencies (TAC 202)
 - b. Anyone doing business with Federal Confidential Data
- 2. Anyone handling Confidential or Personal data
- 3. Anyone
- 4. You



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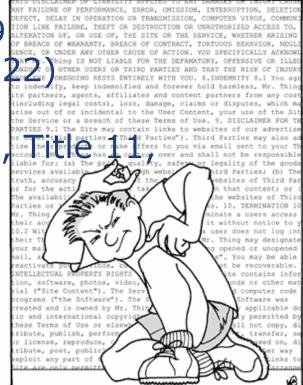




State Regulations



- Texas Administrative Code, Title 1, Part 10, Chapter 202
- Texas Penal Code, Title 7, Chapter 33
- Texas Medical Records Act (SB11)
- Texas Public Information Act of 1999
- Texas Identity Theft Reporting (SB 1
- Texas Cybersecurity Bill (HB 8)
- Texas Business and Commerce Code, Sub. B, Ch. 521



Federeal Regulations



- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
 - 45 CFR Parts 160, 162, and 164
 - Omnibus Rule
 - Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health (HITECH) Act
- IRS/FTI Publication 1075
- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Affordable Care Act (ACA)
 - Minimum Acceptable Risk Security and Privacy Controls for Exchanges (MARS-E Suite)

Information Security and Privacy - Acceptable Risk Safeguards (ARS)

- Federal Information Security Management Act (FISMA)
- Social Security Administration (SSA)
- Electronic Information Exchange Security Requirements and Procedures of the State of the State of the Policy of
- Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Security Policy
- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
- 34 CFR Part 99
- Computer Fraud & Abuse Act of 1986
- Patriot Act
- Computer Security Act of 1987
- Homeland Security Act

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Simplified

1. What do you have?

FIPS 199; NIST SP 800-60; NIST SP 800-53r4 (PM-5 Information System Inventory)

2. How are you supposed to secure it?

• FIPS 200; NIST SP 800-60; NIST SP 800-53r4; A lot of others

3.Are you doing it?

NIST SP 800-70; NIST SP 800-53r4; A lot of others

4. What did you miss?

NIST SP 800-53A

5. Ready to use it?

NIST SP 800-37; NIST SP 800-53r4 (CA-06 Security Authorization)

6.Keep an eye on it?

NIST SP 800-37; NIST SP 800-53r4



What do you have?



Inventory & Categorization





What do you have?



Inventory & Categorization



Our Conversations go like this...





Hey, we should (turn-off / retire/ decommission) that old system!





Oh No, no!
(We don't know what's on it or what will break if we do)











Dunno. Let's turn it off and see who screams...





Simply put:

 If you don't know what you have you can't measure risk

...and other problems will arise

What do you have?



Inventory & Categorization:

- Categorization is based on the potential impact on an organization should certain events occur which jeopardize the information and information systems needed by the organization to accomplish its assigned mission, protect its assets, fulfill its legal responsibilities, maintain its day-to-day functions, and protect individuals
- Security categories are to be used in conjunction with vulnerability and threat information in assessing the risk to an organization

What do you have?



Categorization for Texas Agency's:

- Low baseline
- Moderate baseline
- High baseline



How are you supposed to Secure it?



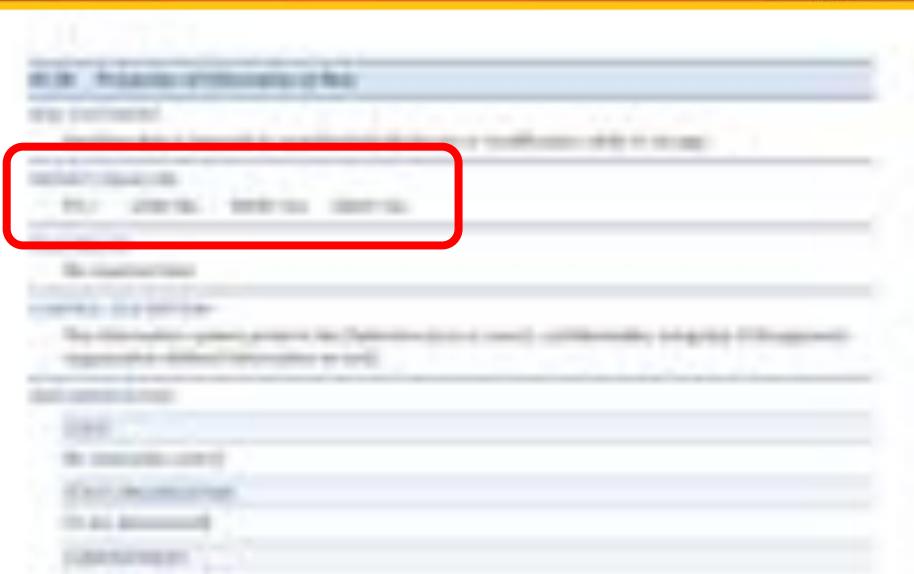
Selection of Security Controls

<u>Understanding</u> <u>requirements</u>









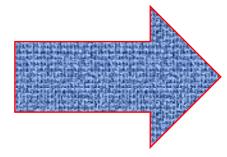


Are you doing it?



Implementation of Security Controls







What did you miss?



- Assessment of Security Controls
 - Risk Assessment vs. Security Assessment

A self-assessment against documented controls conducted by the Information Owner

A validation of the completed Risk Assessment (by a trained/certified Security professional)

What did you miss?



findings...



POA&M



Plan of Actions and Milestones
 (AKA: a "corrective action plan")







Ready to use it?



- Authorize Information System
 - Authority To Operate (ATO) process



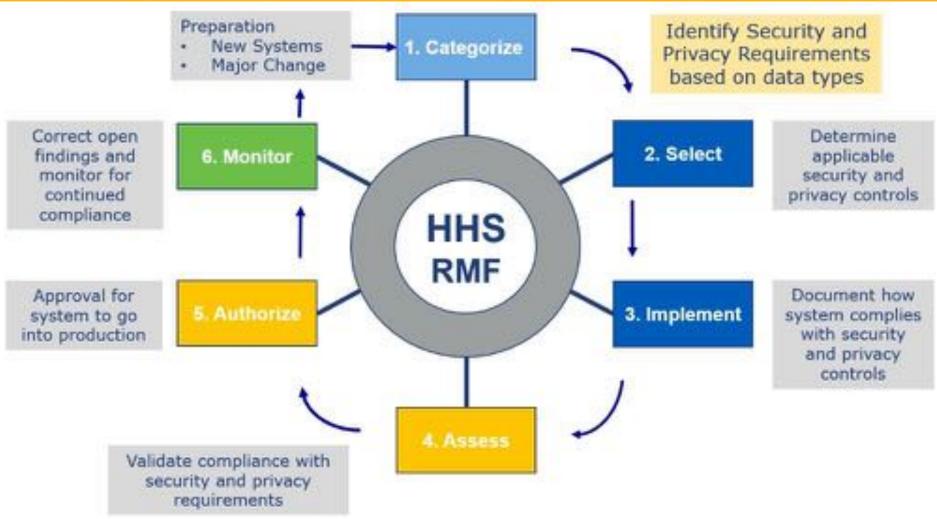




 Establishment of a continuous monitoring program providing visibility into organizational assets, awareness of threats and vulnerabilities, and visibility into the effectiveness of deployed security controls. It provides ongoing assurance that planned and implemented security controls are aligned with organizational risk tolerance as well as the information needed to respond to risk in a timely manner should observations indicate that the security controls are inadequate.

Charts





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